

THE

BIRCH BARKER

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COMMENTS FROM THE COMMODORE

Welcome to another summer at Birch Lake. (I know it is summer because the May Flies are here!) The early Memorial Day weekend gave all of us a head start in getting ready. Your officers of the BIRCH LAKE YACHT CLUB are busy planning a summer of activity for you.

The BIRCH BARKER is our means of communication with you. However, we hope that you will also use the BARKER to let us know about you and your plans. Give your information to ARLINE MACHALLECK at 14878 Birch Lakeshore Drive.

As indicated in the winter news letter, it is our intention to have two Directors from each shore. They will serve a two year term and give us a closer contact with you ---INTERESTED? Please call me or one of the Officers.

The BLYC is for YOU. Please let us know what activities you would like to have. Your interest will make the summer successful.

DAVE ANTHONY

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SPRING DINNER

On April 25th we had our Spring Dinner at the Morris Park Country Club in South Bend. A record 142 people attended and enjoyed a GOOD dinner and a chance of getting reacquainted after the long winter.

CONNIE & EARL TROEGER were in charge and did a GREAT job. Our thanks to them! Thanks also to HERM KRUGGEL for printing the announcements.

NEW ADDRESSES

The Post Office has assigned new 5 digit addresses for us at Birch Lake. DOROTHY GETZINGER has advised each of you what your new address is. It is important to put this number in a visible location on your house and mailbox.

For Fire and Ambulance protection, this is a MUST!

If you have any questions, call:
DOROTHY GETZINGER 476-2188

SUNFISH FLEET NEWS

SKIPPERS MEETING at YACHT CLUB HOUSE SUNDAY, JUNE 1, 1980 10:00 IND. TIME

AGENDA:

1. NUMBER OF RACES -- 25 -- 2 each Sunday, starting June 8 - ending Aug. 24 and 1 Saturday, July 5
Fourth of July Regatta on July 5 & 6
Labor Day Regatta on Sat. Aug. 30 & Sun. , Aug. 31
2. 17 races necessary to qualify for Season trophies.
3. Fee: \$15.00
4. Rules

The above agenda is subject to verification at the SKIPPERS MEETING.
PRACTICE RACE -- immediately following SKIPPERS MEETING.

The meeting is open to any Birch Lake resident who has ever had the slightest desire to race a SUNFISH. We all had to start somewhere; come out and join the fun.

HOBIE CAT sailors are also welcome if they might be interested in organization of a racing fleet.
FLEET CAPTAIN DAVE OLSON

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